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TORONTO TIDINGS

Two sisters of Mrs. H. W. Roberts, namely Mrs. H. W. Peterman and Mrs. John L. McGillivray, both of Purpleville, were guests at "Mora Glen" on November 23d and 24th.

Mr. Frank E. Harris gave a very pleasing address at our service on November 22d, that was full of deep interest. He spoke on the subject, "Be Ye of Good Cheer," stating that cheerfulness was not only stimulating Christ-like principles, but was bringing sunshine and love into the human heart, as well as good health and happiness to one's body, mind and soul. As Mr. Harris is invariably wearing a cheery smile whenever you meet him, he seems to be practicing what he preaches. A very acceptably solo, entitled, "Now May He, Who From the Dead," was rendered. It was a very captivating scene.

We are pleased to state that Mrs. Orvin Eastman has recovered from her recent severe attack of pneumonia and bronchitis, and is now able to be back in our midst again.

Nearly a dozen of Mrs. H. W. Roberts' relatives living in this city foregathered at "Mora Glen" on November 22d, where they spent a pleasant day together.

At the great reception and dance given by the famous 48th Highlanders Regiment, at the Royal York Hotel, on November 25th, in honor of Lord and Lady Bessborough, Major John P. Girvan and Mrs. Girvan were the chief entertainers. The major is a first cousin to Mrs. Abbie Roman, and one of the head clerks at Postal Terminal "A."

Our midweekly service on November 25th was conducted by Mr. W. R. Watt, who gave a very splendid address on "Christ, Our Copy Book," pointing out how we should emulate Christ in various ways in order to elevate pure comradeship and eliminate the discordant ills of this life.

The combined language exerted its usefulness on November 25th, when Mesdames W. R. Watt and H. W. Roberts were attending the Royal Winter Fair. They were conversing openly in signs, when a fine young gentleman stepped up and intercepted them in the same way with the remark, "Do you know the late Mr. J. D. McKillop, who used to teach at the Belleville school?" "Yes," enjoined the two ladies. "Well," he chirped in, "I am his first cousin, and my name is Mr. Black." For a while a very pleasant conversation ensued between these three, which brought out happy memories of long ago.

A good number of her friends assembled on the quiet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. McGillivray, on November 27th, and gave Mrs. William C. Mackay a belated surprise birthday party. A great time was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Mackay received many nice and useful presents.

The hundreds of former graduates, of the Belleville School, will learn with deep sorrow of the death of their beloved friend and former teacher, Miss Annie Mathison, eldest daughter of the late former Superintendent and Mrs. Robert Mathison, who succumbed to an attack of pneumonia in the Women's Cottage Hospital on November 30th last. As these items were leaving for the press when the sad news came, your reporter will give a more comprehensive report on her life in your next issue.

At a well-represented meeting of our church congregation on November 23d, Mr. William R. Watt was re-elected superintendent for another year. Several others were nominated, but owing to business pressure, declined the position, thus allowing Mr. Watt the honor by acclamation. Mr. Frank E. Harris also got the position of assistant superintendent in the same way.

Before the business of the evening was begun with, the whole gathering stood in bowed reverence to the memory of our departed and former superintendent, Mr. J. R. Byrne, who had passed to his reward hardly over a year ago. There was no change in the board of trustees.

Our next annual picnic will be held at the same old swimming hole—Port Dalhousie—and the date chosen was July 16th. Other places mentioned were Oshawa, Queenstown, Niagara Falls, and LaSalle. Of course Oshawa gave Port Dalhousie a merry run for the plum. The committee in charge will consist of a selected member from the Women's Association, the Kicuwa Club, and the Young People's Society, and the three to be chosen later will have power to chose their minor assistants.

GANANOQUE GEMS

We expected the Rev. Mr. Merrill, of Syracuse, N. Y., over here on November 20th, but a note from him stated his inability to come. However, we expect him over here later.

The interesting write-up of the recent trip of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts, of Toronto, to the coast, as given in recent issues of the JOURNAL, interested us very much. We hope they will stop and see us when they come east.

Two young deaf men were calling around here some time ago. They said they lived on a sufficient income, but later we found out they were going around peddling. This kind of nuisance is contrary to the law in the United States.

We had the pleasure of getting acquainted with many of the deaf during the past summer, especially from Ottawa and vicinity. We hope we will be able to greet Mr. Shilton, of Toronto, the next time he passes this way.

We are pleased to state that Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fraser are keeping on well and doing fine at their home in Brockville, but they do not get around to see their deaf friends very much.

A brother of our old friend, the late Vasco Crowder, of Kingston, died in that city lately. We are now wondering how many of our deaf friends are now living in the "Limestone City."

We were very much surprised and set aghast on reading the article on the sign language written by Superintendent Fetterley, of the Belleville school, in the *Canadian*, and reproduced in the JOURNAL. It seems to show he know very little about the deaf. It would be a good idea to get a few dollars and buy Mr. Fetterly one of Dr. Long's famous books on "The Sign Language."

KITCHENER KNOCKS

Owing to the fact that your subreporter for this district has moved to Kitchener, the headline of these items will hereafter be known as "Kitchener Knocks" instead of "Waterloo County Wee-Bits." The writer will "knock" out all news that comes this way and send them in for publication.

Mr. Harry E. Grooms, of Toronto, gave a splendid address at our service here on November 22d, and was greeted by a large crowd, who greatly appreciated his sermon.

Miss Beverly Moynihan was recently visiting her mother for a few days, in the cozy and comfortable apartment suite which Mrs. Moynihan now occupies.

We understand that Mrs. George Boulding, her daughter, Ruth, and a friend spent a day in this city recently. Although not any too well, Mrs. Boulding has improved somewhat.

Mrs. Lucille B. Moynihan and Mrs. Thomas S. Williams spent a day recently over in Waterloo, calling on the former's old neighbors, who are always glad to see her.

Mr. Allan Nahrgang, who had been laid off from work for some time, has been killing his time visiting his different relatives on their farms, and is looking fine and jovial.

The condition of Mrs. Ida Cherry Robertson is slightly improving, so we learn at this writing. Two of the local deaf called to enquire of her condition at the Kitchener-Waterloo General Hospital, but the sign, "no visitors allowed," is still posted on the door of her private ward.

Mr. Harry E. Grooms, when motoring up from Toronto for our meeting on November 22d, was accompained by his daughter, Doris, and a friend. They had dinner at the home of their friend's companions, and after the service, went down to Mr. Isaiah Nahrgang's farm at Speedville before returning home.

Next summer when the Kitchener pupils, numbering eleven, who are now at the Belleville school, come home for their vacation, an interesting tug-of-war could be arranged between them and eleven of our grown men who are residents of this city. This would probably create great rivalry between youth and age.

HAMILTON HUMORLITES

Mr. James Moreland, who is not "on the job" just now, is killing time by practicing on the linotype machine, at the technical school, until recalled by his old employees.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hacking's little baby, Patricia, is growing up very fast, nice and plump. She is her mamma's joy and her daddy's pride, and some baby is little Patricia Hacking.

Mrs. Mary E. Crozier was out to her old home in Springvale on Remembrance Day, visiting her children and former neighbors, with whom she had a lovely time.

Mrs. Andrew S. Waggoner was in London on November 15th, where she spoke at the service for the deaf and was pleased to find all our deaf friends very well, with the exception of Mr. George R. Munro, of St. Thomas, who has been very ill in the hospital with pneumonia.

Miss Mabel Etherington reports having had a very fine time with relatives and friends in Toronto over the week-end of November 21st.

"Silentvilla," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Waggoner, was quietly invaded on November 7th by a goodly number of their friends who had pleasantly surprised them in the form of a good-will honor, in recognition of the warm interest the Waggoners take in them. The evening was thoroughly enlivened with games and other amusements, and towards midnight refreshments were served. All declared it to be one of the best they ever enjoyed.

HORNING MILLS HUMOR

Mr. John Hamill, who had been working for Mr. Thomas A. Middleton on the "Conover Farm" for some time past, has left, as he got married and moved to another place.

Mrs. Richard Middleton, of Toronto, died rather suddenly in that city on November 16th. She was a cousin of Thomas A. Middleton, and formerly lived in Flesherton, about fifteen miles from here.

We were surprised to learn through the JOURNAL that our old teacher, Miss Mary Bull, of Bloomindale, is now in her eightieth year. No doubt, she is perhaps the oldest teacher of the Belleville school, who is still enjoying the liberties of this life. She is still warmly thought of by all her old pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bell, of St. Thomas, were up this way lately, and gave the Middletons a call. They brought along Mr. George Caswell, a brother of Mrs. Bell, and he is now hired on the "Conover Farm."

CALIFORNIA CALLS

Mr. Thomas Bradshaw and his son-in-law, Mr. C. L. Fletcher, have gone into partnership as home architects and builders in Santa Barbara. Tom is an experienced union carpenter and trimmer, and they will specialize in up-to-date California bungalows of every description and style. Mr. Fletcher is the husband of the agile and former Miss Eva Bradshaw. We wish our friend, Tom, and his partner every success.

Our old friend, Mr. Nelson Wood, won first prize as a slave master at the Hallowe'en masquerade ball, given by the deaf of Los Angeles on October 31st. Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Martha Sutton also attended this gala event, as well as Mr. Putnam Lett, the deaf brother of Messrs. Stephen and Birdie Lett, of Carp, Ont., and Putnam won first prize at "500." Nelson Wood has taken part in this Guy Fawks pastime on four separate occasions, and has never failed to carry off the top prize, three firsts, and one second, at Los Angeles and Seattle, Wash.

As Mr. David S. Luddy was laid off when the "Bulletin" Building, where he used to work, was purchased by another company, he decided to go into business of his own, and now has a well-equipped printing shop in the rear of his home at 124 Primrose Road in Burlingame, Cal. In addition to job work, David also runs a monthly paper for the deaf, known as the *California Silent Times*, which is but fifty cents a year. We wish Mr. Luddy every success in his latest venture.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bradshaw, of Santa Barbara, motored up to Los Angeles and took in the masquerade ball that was staged by the deaf on Hallowe'en night, and both report a very delightful time.

For the first time in history a rugby football team of the deaf of Los Angeles went down and played a regular game with the Santa Barbara Athletic Club. But the deaf team got badly trimmed to the tune of 36 to 6. The Los Angeles players seem to need more practice, but are a very good team anyhow.

Mrs. Martha Sutton, formerly of Brantford, Ont., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wood, since the beginning of last October, and expects to stay with them in Santa Barbara until early in the new year. Then, if all goes well, her host and hostess will motor her up in their new Buick car, to Oakland, Cal., where Mrs. Sutton's sister and brother live. While up there they hope to pay a visit to their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. David S. Luddy in Burlingame. Mrs. Sutton may make Oakland her permanent home city.

In spite of the general depression everywhere, Mr. Nelson Wood is still working at the Buick garage for his brother, Vincent E. Wood, the well-known Santa Barbara Buick car dealer, who owns the largest and finest garage between Los Angeles and San Francisco. Besides this work, Nelson also has a monthly rental income.

All the old Canadian graduates of the Belleville School, now living away up here, and there are many of them, greatly appreciate the *Canadian News* in the JOURNAL. They scan its columns every week for tidings of many friends way down east and elsewhere. We owe Mr. Roberts a great debt of gratitude for his untiring efforts in pleasing others.

The deaf throughout California and elsewhere were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Putman Lett, which occurred very suddenly at her home in Los Angeles on November 18th. Those who had met and conversed with her at the big gathering in her home city on Hallowe'en night, had no idea that the Eternal Sentinel was stalking in her path, for she was a very strong and healthy looking young lady—but such is fate. The deceased was formerly Miss McConnell and a graduate of the Winnipeg, Man., School for the Deaf, and has a deaf brother in Manitoba, who is an excellent hockey player, and used to play with the late John Ulrich of Detroit. Mr. Lett, the youngest of the Lett brothers of Carp, Ont., is a Belleville school graduate, and later on went west, and settled in Los Angeles, where he made good as a printer, being a rare hand in the intricate work of this kind that his employers considered him a valuable hand to have around. The funeral took place on November 20th, and was very largely attended. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bradshaw, of Santa Barbara, were among those present. To the bereaved Mr. Lett and other relatives, we extend our most heartfelt sympathy.

A short while ago, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wood, of Santa Barbara, with their guest, Mrs. Martha Sutton, motored up to Los Angeles, and visited the great alligator farm, which contains about a thousand of these reptiles. You should be there, and watch them at feeding time, and see how they fight and scramble and roll over and twist themselves in their race for the morsels of food. One of the oldest, computed at 275 years of age, is so docile that a child can ride on its back in perfect ease. The visitors also visited the ostrich farm to see the 250 large birds that are kept on this farm in the heart of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bradshaw had a jolly bunch of the deaf at their cosy home in Santa Barbara on November 16th, where they indulged in a "500" game to their hearts' content. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wood and Mrs. Martha Sutton were among those jolly revellers.

ACTON ACTIVITIES

On November 21st, Miss Nora Kenney, R. N. of the Guelph General Hospital staff, came down, and spent that week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kenney, and her sister, Miss Francis Kenney of this town. Their son and brother, Dr. W. G. C. Kenney, of Newmarket, was also home at the same time.

Miss Evelyn Durant, of Toronto, passed through here to and from Guelph recently, where she went to see her home folks for a week-end.

On November 22d, Miss Francis Kenney took her parents and sister, Nora, for a long motor trip in her car to Nassagaweya, Campbellville, Kilbride, Tansley, Boyne, Milton, and Speyside and other parts of Halton County. They stopped over in Kilbride for an hour to visit the birthplace of Mrs. Kenney, then called on their friends, Mrs. and Miss Tasher in Tansley. Mrs. Tasher is a cousin of the late Mr. John Featherstone, of Hamilton, one of four pioneer deaf.

The mother of those two deaf brothers, Adam and Clifford Barbour of Erin, twelve miles from this town, passed away on November 6th last, so we have just heard. The boy's sister, Miss Marie Barbour, is a teacher in the Acton public school. Your sub-correspondent has often heard of her, and hopes to make her acquaintance some day.

BAD BUSINESS

Here we have a laugh on a certain young man at the expense and misleading of pure oralism. The other week-end, this young man had come into the city from a wayside village about forty miles out. He came in on the early Sunday morning train with the intention of spending the day with his lady friend, and going home on the last train the same evening. His lady friend had a deaf sister, who had been taught at a lip-reading school. Everything went on pleasantly until tea time, when the young man wanted to know the time of departure of the last train for his home destination, but no one seemed to know accurately. Seeing his predicament, his lady friend told him not to WORRY, as she would send her deaf sister to her neighbors, and ask their friends to phone the station. Out went her sister on the errand, and returned in a few minutes with the answer, which she had asked for and received in the pure oral. "Ten minutes past Eleven," said she emphatically, "Thank you," returned the young man, as he smiled cheerfully at the thought of being able to stay longer, but in the conversation between this deaf girl and the neighbor, who phoned a misunderstanding eusued. The neighbor had plainly said, "Ten minutes past Seven," but as the expression on the lips of seven and eleven are almost similar, though not sounding the same the deaf girl mistook seven for eleven. When the time came to leave the young man hurried to the station only to find his train had left hours before. WORRIED and down hearted, he wended his way back to a hotel for the night, and in the meantime made telephonic communications with the neighbor of his fiancee, as to what time she told the deaf girl, and the reply was "ten to seven." What this young man thinks of, and what he muttered against, pure oralism would stagger society.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

Deaf-Mute Signs With Pro Soccer Team

ST LOUIS, Nov. 27. (A. P.).—A young soccer player, handicapped by lack of both hearing and speech, has been signed to perform with a professional team. He is Andy Fredricks, Jr., nineteen-year-old forward, whose skill and speed as an amateur attracted attention of "scouts."

Although never able to talk or hear, Fredricks became interested in soccer as a boy and got his early experience in an informal vacant lot league. His father, a St. Louis barber, for years has sponsored teams in the Municipal League and encouraged the sport.

In the sign language, young Fredericks explains that although the human voice does not register with him, he can hear the referee's shrill whistle because it seems to penetrate his body. When the official halts the game on an offside play or foul, Fredericks stops short just like the others. During working hours Fredricks is employed as a cutter in a clothing factory.

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BOSTON

The Horace Mann Alumni Association celebrated their fifth anniversary by giving their second banquet at the Horace Mann school auditorium on the evenig of November 4th. There were nearly ninety people present, including Miss M. Adams, principal of the school since 1919, and several teachers. The menu was the same as at the first banquet given two years ago, and it was enjoyed by those present.

The speakers of the evening were: Miss Adams, who gave a talk about Miss Sarah Fuller, the first principal of the old school in Boston. Miss Fuller taught for forty-one years, to the time of her death. It was through the efforts of Miss Adams that we have the present new school in Roxbury, built in 1927, now considered one of the largest deaf schools in the country. The other speakers were Misses Hobart and Thompson and Mrs E. Parkes, a niece of Miss Fuller, all of whom are honorary members of the Association. Miss Hobart stated that she and Miss Thompson were planning to retire at the end of the school term, and hoped that all their former pupils would pay them a visit in the near future. Miss Hobart, a teacher in English and literature, has taught for about forty years. She is admired by all for her untiring efforts and kindness.

Rev. S. Light proved himself to be a versatile toastmaster. Mrs. M Amsebury, who engineered the affair rendered a new poem written by Miss Alice C. Jennings, an old graduate of the Horace Mann school, who is now a resident of the Home for the Deaf at Danvers. The latter is well known for her poems and poetry.

Preceding the speeches, a movie show was given under the auspices of Mr. Nichols. The pictures shown were "Canadian Rockies," some reels of the pupils' work, taken in the classrooms of the Horace Mann school, and Rin-Tin-Tin in "Hills of Kentucky." Mr. Nichols planned to show us another picture, but due to the late hour, it was cancelled, much to the disappointment of the guests. Since the Horace Mann is an oral day-school and not in favor of the use of the manual alphabet, it was an oral affair all through, except for a few occasional signs from the guests.

That same evening, the Lynn Silent Club held its annual balloon contest and dance at Eagle Hall, Lynn. The contest winners were Phyliss Dingwell and R. Toohey. Due to the banquet affair being held, only seventy people were present at the dance.

On November 11th, a movie show for the Boston Oral Club was shown by Mrs. V. Hull. She took these pictures during her trip with the G. A. R., of which her father is a veteran. Others were taken at the convention in Tennessee and all the way from the upper part of Washington, through Baltimore to New York. The pictures proved to be most interesting. The Oral Club's military-whist party will take place at the Egyptian Parlors, 12 Franklin Street, Allerton, on Saturday evening, December 12th. The admission fee will be fifty cents.

November 7th, being the Boston Frats' monthly meeting, Mrs. M. Kornblum had two tables of bridge at her home on that evening. Lovely prizes were given to ye scribe, Mesdames Anna Bachner and Belle Weinberg, while Helen Downey received the booby.

The tables were reversed, for on the next day, the 8th, Flo. Kornblum was given a surprise birthday party. Miss N. Eagan was the hostess. Twenty people were present and had an exceedingly good time. Refreshments were prepared by Miss Eagan, with the assistance of Mrs. Gill and Mr. Kornblum. Flo. received several lovely gifts, including a cash present. She bought a new bridge table, since the weekly bridge club added four new members to its original group of eight.

Mrs. V. Hull, Mrs. Alder and Misses Murphy and Hoffman, were the new members.

Still another surprise party was held at Mrs. V. Woodside's home in East Boston, in honor of her brother, Norman Daniels, who became a benedict early last year on that evening.

Mr. M. Cohen had a surprise birthday party at his home on Armistice Day, November 11th. He also received many useful gifts.

Forty friends were present at the whist party given by the St. Francis De Xavier Club on November 10th.

The Boston H. A. D. held its regular monthly meeting at their Y. M. H. A. clubroom on Sunday, November 15th, and nominated candidates for officers of 1932. The election of the men officers, with the exception of the president and secretary, who were re-elected, will take place at the next meeting. That evening, many H. A. D. members and a few friends were present at a gathering at Mr. and Mrs. M. Miller's home, the ever hospitable host and hostess. Delicious refreshments were served towards the end of an enjoyable evening.

There was a "500" party held at Mrs. J. Casteline's home on Tuesday, November 18th. This writer was again the lucky winner of the cash prize, while Miss H. Spiott took the second honors.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Miss Sally Grosh, of Worcester, fiancee of Mr. G. Friedman, at Aperion Hall, Roxbury, in the presence of their relatives and a few deaf friends. She received many useful gifts. They plan to enter the bonds of matrimony on the 20th of December, and have already rented their new home in Dorchester, which they will occupy after their marriage.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Monahan, of Newton, on November 4th. Heartiest congratulations!

Mr. Isaac Marcus' parents were tendered a golden wedding anniversary celebration at their home on November 8th. The Marcus family and relatives were present, including Mr. and Mrs. S. Bachner, Mrs. I. Marcus and Mr. and Mrs. S. Marcus, of New York. Sam Marcus' family and friends were glad to see him, as they had not seen him for several years.

Anna Solomon recently went through an appendicitis operation. This was followed by a touch of pneumonia. She is now slowly recovering at her home. Mr. R. McCarthy also had an operation on a growth on his neck, but now is fully recovered.

The Mass. Benevolent Association held its second monthly whist social on the 28th at the Egyptian Parlors. Quite a crowd attended. Many lovely prizes were given to the highest winners, Mr. Casteline receiving the first prize, a camera.

The Boston Silent Club's Thanksgiving Evening dance on the 24th was a decided success.

There will be a Fair and Bazaar at the St. Andrew's Mission House, 172 Worcester Street, Boston, on December 17th. All friends are urged to attend the bazaar. Many useful articles, some hand-made, and ideal for Christmas gifts, will be sold or raffled off. The proceeds will go toward their Building Fund.

Franz Ascher, of Sprinfield, seems to be a regular visitor to the Hub nowadays. He took in the Harvard-Yale football game at the Harvard Stadium on the 21st, with Mr. W. H. Battersby as his guest. Much to their delight, Yale won. They both were present at the Oral Club meeting on that evening.

The M. B. A. have reserved the evening of February 12th, for their annual Valentine Ball, to be given at the Huntington Chambers Hall. Mr. J. Casteline will have charge of the affair.

Don't forget the Boston Division N. F. S. D. annual New Year's Ball. It will take place at Convention Hall, St. Botolph Street, corner Garrison Avenue, Boston, on December 31st. The New Year's Day military whist party, under the direction of Mrs. M. Kornblum and Miss N. Egan, aides for the Lynn Silent Club, will be held at 3 Boylston Place, Boston, early in the evening. Refreshments will be included.

Christmas will soon be here. Subscriptions to this paper would be an ideal gift for your friends. Will those who would like to renew their subscriptions, or order for others, please mail these to A. Wilson, 38 Mattapan Street, Mattapan, Mass. News for this column will be appreciated, too.

A Merry Christmas to all.

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Children of Deaf Parentage

DO THE CHILDREN of the deaf make good? This question has invariably been answered in the affirmative, for even in their years of childhood and youth, high results have from babyhood to the end of schooldays distinguished them as mentally superior to the average, and reflected credit upon their deaf parents. Therefore we rejoice whenever the offspring of the deaf have won conspicuous success.

On November 25th, the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Institution at Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, formally appointed Lloyd E. Berg to the office of Assistant Superintendent. Since June last, he has held the dual position of "assistant to the superintendent," in addition to his regular functions as steward and auditor, so that this latest promotion was well-merited and wise.

He taught about five years in the academic departments of the Louisiana, Alabama and Mt. Airy schools. As a University of Illinois and University of Pennsylvania student, he specialized in Education, Higher Accountancy, Business Law and Administration, and when the former steward of the Mt. Airy school had to retire, on account of age and ill-health, the Board, recognizing Mr. Berg's special fitness, urged his acceptance of transfer to the stewardship. He acceded, but not without reluctance, as his chief interest was centred upon the educational aspect of the work. We are informed that he will not relinquish the position of steward, which he has held for several years, but will continue it in conjunction with the office of Assistant Superintendent. For his new duties and responsibilities Mr. Berg is peculiarly fitted by education, character, temperament and training.

His father, Albert Berg, has been a teacher at the Indianapolis Institution for over forty years, following his graduation from Gallaudet College, has been an enterprising gentleman of broad views—a worthy forebear of his accomplished son.

We might point to other children who have conferred honor and brought pride to the hearts of their deaf parents.

The article written by Superintendent of Schools in California, which was printed in this paper last week, is sufficient to show what a progressive and able educator he has become. Also Mrs. Riggs, Superintendent of the Institution at Little Rock, Ark., has earned distinction for her broad-minded adherence to the interests of the deaf. Her father, Rev. Mr. Michaels, was for many years a teacher, but is now a preacher devoted to the well-being of his silent brethren of the South. Edward S. Tillinghast is superintendent of the school at Sioux Falls, S. D., and has written fluently upon the education of the Deaf. William H. Van Tassell, of the New York (Fanwood) School, long an efficient officer and instructor, is Assistant Principal of that Institution. Frank S. Booth, always a fertile-minded educator of the Deaf, has for long years been head of the Institution located at Omaha, Neb. There may be other children of deaf parentage in charge of important departments of the educational system of our schools, but in the hurry of this offhand chronicle their names do not occur to us. However, in the work that this life brings, children whose parents were handicapped by deafness have usually made good.

The Gaillard Fund

WITH this issue the "Gaillard Fund" is closed. The total amount received was exactly one hundred dollars. On Tuesday morning a bank draft on the Credit Lyonnaise of Paris, France, was mailed to Mr. Gaillard, which entitles him to receive Two Thousand Five Hundred and Forty Francs, along with the bulletin that is printed in this week's issue of the JOURNAL.

Syracuse, N. Y.

On Thanksgiving Day, two deaf residents of Syracuse were taken to the Crouse Irving Hospital, suffering from injuries sustained in a motor accident.

Rev. Herbert C. Merrill had gone to Gloversville to officiate at a wedding. On the return to Syracuse, he accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Rozella Ackerman in their car. They had reached Syracuse and Mr. Ackerman had just started his car, after stopping at a street intersection to wait for the green light signal, when a large Buick car, driven by a hearing woman, crashed headlong into the side of his car. Rev. Merrill suffered a broken collar bone, and Mrs. Ackerman was quite badly cut on the face by glass. It is expected the lady will settle the expenses incurred by the accident, inasmuch as the car she was driving was not her own and she had no license. Mr. Ackerman escaped with a few minor bruises, but his new car was badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Decker, of Binghampton, brought Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoag, and Miss Cohn to Syracuse on Sunday, November 29th, to call on the patients in the hospital. Mr. Decker himself is recovering from an auto accident suffered a month or so ago, whereby his face was badly injured.

Miss Thelma Parker, of Cicero, N. Y., and Mr. Francis Lair, of Gloversville, were united in marriage by the Rev. H. C. Merrill, on November 26th, at the home of the groom's parents. A bounteous Thanksgiving feast was later partaken of by relatives and friends. Mr. Lair is employed by the Endicott-Johnson shoe factory at Endicott, N. Y. Both the bride and groom were former pupils at the Rome, N. Y., school.

Some fifteen Syracuse deaf motored to Rome, N. Y., on November 28th, to attend a Gallaudet Day celebration at the school for the deaf. About one hundred were present. The members of the Rome Alumni Association are right up to the dot when it comes to entertaining at some special event. Among those from Syracuse, were Mesdames Ayling, Brown, Strail, Lynch, C. Keller, House, Pabst, Miss Clara Schmidt, and Messrs. Ayling, Strail, Lynch, Fred Keller, Pabst and T. Bremner.

Mr. John Sears and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Sears's parents in Binghamton.

Little Miss Cynthia Ackerman, who attends school at Rochester, N. Y., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents in Syracuse, but the pleasure of her short vacation was somewhat marred by the accident to her mother. "PITTI-SING."

A baby son was born to the Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Fletcher, November 1st, in Bryan, Texas, home of the latter. He has been named John Caldwell. Congratulations are in order from their many friends here. Mr. Fletcher was among the nineteen missionaries present at the Conference held in Chicago last October and it was hoped he would get off in Philadelphia on his way back to Birmingham, Ala.—*Mt. Airy World.*

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GALLAUDET COLLEGE

Campus days have been getting dull of late. In the early morning, it is increasingly difficult to arise from a warm bed, especially when one resides in a single room, sleeping with windows wide open, and the temperature hovers around fifty degrees F. Sundays are no longer what they used to be. Now everyone goes out on Sunday afternoons, rain or shine. It is so much easier to engage the girls of the three upper classes, now Faculty sanction permits "open-dating," so that only the boys without funds, or with "book-worm" tendencies remain at home. Yea. Often it seems that in wandering through College Hall on a Sabbath afternoon, you are in a deserted chateau, so lifeless it has become. If young men lack funds, there are other ways of passing the aternoon, such as walking and sky gazing. Washington is a great scenic city, and even if a Prep lad started walking in his first year, it is a matter of doubt if he could see all of the city by the time he graduates. Indeed about the only place one is certain of finding company is in the old powerhouse, where Doug Craig, M.M., is usually to be found on Sundays, attired in his best clothes, stroking the fur of "Old Betty," the large cat.

At the regular Literary Society meeting, held on Friday evening, Rev. H. Lorraine Tracy, '90, was the main speaker. Speaking of Cardinal Richelieu, the builder of Modern France, Rev. Mr. Tracy gave historical facts that made history seem much more than dry and uninteresting reading matter. A debate; "Resolved, that the Government of the United States should own and control the railroads," resulted in warm and concentrated cross-firing of facts, figures and statistics, to uphold both sides of the question.

The negative side, consisting of Messrs. Arlie Gray, '32, and Calvin Long, '35, finally were adjudged victors over the affirmative delegation, comprising Messrs. Marion Bradley, '32, and Gerald Adler, '35. A dialogue, "The Height of Crookedness," featuring Seth "Redtop" Crockett, '34, with Heimo Antila, '34, gave the audience a long awaited opportunity to laugh.

Ralph Gefsky, P. C., from the Ohio School, rendered a declamation "Life Sculpture." Mr. Gefskv did very well considering that this was his first public appearance. After the meeting a short social hour was held in Chapel Hall.

A bazaar was conducted by the W. Y. C. A. in the Fowler Hall Reading Room last Saturday afternoon. The sale of numerous articles was a success and long before the closing hour the tables were cleared of commodities. Ideal Christmas gifts such as desk baskets, book ends silhouettes, hand-made linen handkerchiefs for both boys and girls, rag dolls and dogs, were sold, as were home-made candy, tea, and sandwiches.

Of the candy something should be said. The girls labored hard to produce sixteen pounds of sweets, such as only our Fowler Hall maids know how to make, and in a remarkably short time a "sold out" sign had to be erected. May Koehn, '33, was chairman of the bazzar, along with Mary Ross, '32, president of the Y. W. C. A. All of the other members contributed articles to be sold, besides their time.

Sometime ago Mr. Tom Anderson, editor of the *Vocational Teacher*, offered two prizes for the best essays on the theme: "The Place of the College Graduate in the Vocational World." Prizes of five dollars for first place, and three dollars for second place, have been awarded to Andrew Maccono, '33, and Arthur P. Ovist, '35. The latter is from the Minnesota school.

Delmar Cosgrove, '31, and John Wurdemann, ex-'33, have been almost weekly visitors from Manassas, Va., where both have positions in a print-shop.

For the past two years the Kendall School boys have been taught the pressing and garment cleaning business by an ambitious college student. Hugh Lee Stack, Jr., of the Kansas School, is the present instructor. In order to afford practice, garments are pressed for a small sum for the residents of Kendall Green. Last week instructor and manager Stack announced that on account of depression, prices would be slashed. The immediate result was a tremendous increase of business, resulting in seventy suits being pressed in one day, and now every lad on Kendall Green has a neatly-pressed suit. Like the country doctor of old, the Presser on Kendall Green is a mighty important man.

Classed as the best Football Dance in the memory of the oldest inhabitant of Kendall Green, who is none other than Doug Craig, M.M., the annual football dance sponsored by the Athletic Association was held within the confines of the "Old Jim" on Saturday evening, from eight to eleven-fifteen.

An innovation in that letter winners were presented with their coveted "G's" made the affair all the more outstanding. A gridiron was laid upside down, and a playing field made by white crepe ribbons stretched across the rafters overhead, and dummy football players placed at intervals, with green ferns and palms from the greenhouse to lend the necessary color. The cool night air made the dancers actually dance and everyone enjoyed a fine evening. Refreshments consisting of ice-cream and assorted cookies, served at a later hour, were not lacking.

Following the presentation of letters and honorary mentions to the players by Head Coach Teddy Hughes, assistant coach Walter J. Krug was given an ovation for his tireless labor to help the team. As a gift, Captain Bilbo Monaghan, "strong-man," presented Mr. Krug with a good-sized package wrapped in Christmas paper. In innocently receiving the gift, Mr. Krug almost doubled under the weight of the package. The bewildered Mr. Krug, at first, could not understand the great weight of the gift, but in a twinkling thought it was "ground printer's lead."

Upon unwrapping the package, it was found to contain money; imagine a stack of pennies, weighing about forty pounds, and when Mr. Krug took them to the bank, it was found to contain a sizeable sum.

In turn, Coach Teddy Hughes was presented with a surprise gift in the form of a valuable traveling kit, with his initials imprinted in gold on the leather case. This gift was purchased from voluntary donations by the members of the football squad in appreciation of the services of the veteran coach.

Patrons at this affair included: Dr. and Mrs. Charles Russell Ely, Professor and Mrs. Harley D. Drake, and Mr. Powrie V. Doctor. John G. O'Brien, '32, was chairman of the committee, aided by George Lynch, '33, Emil Rath, '34, Gerald Adler, '35, and Ralph Gefsky, P. C.

Those receiving the coveted letter "G," and their respective home towns follow: Captain Bilbo Monaghan, Nettleton, Miss.; William Grinnell, Philadelphia, Pa.; Hugh L. Stack, Jr., Bonner Springs, Kan.; Heimo Antila, Fitchburg, Mass.; George Brown, Columbus, O.; Boyce R. Williams, Racine, Wis.; Cecil Davis, Sumrall, Miss.; Andrew Hnatow, Detroit, Mich.; Anton O'Branovich, Fair Oaks, Cal.; and Adolphus Yoder, Flint, Mich. An honorary letter was presented to Manager Harold C. Larsen, of Janesville, Wis. Honorary mention was given to the boys who, for some reason, were not eligible for letters: Rudolph Gamblin, Amarillo, Tex.; George Walnoha, Chicago, Ill.; Lewis Roop, Roanoke, Va.; Wilbur Jensen, Bellingham, Wash.; and Thomas Delp, Sunnyside, Wash.

Both Monaghan and Grinnell, real veterans of the team, having played for five years. Monaghan has been the best end Gallaudet has had for some time. There has been practically no question as to his ability at end and in the backfield, where he played part of the time this season, he provided the much needed punch on more than one occasion. Had he been on a larger college team there is no telling how far he would have gone. Grinnell, a veteran, staid and steady, has been the bulwark in the forward wall ever since his Preparatory year.

Williams, Yoder and Hnatow have played their last game for the Blues. Williams, plowing his way through the regular college course of study, in the years has been the best blocking back on the team. Hnatow, striving for the varsity for five years, since he was but a mite of a shaver in his first year, has at last arrived at the top of the heap. Yoder, dogged by injuries, including "water on the knee," has not seen much service this year.

Next year the Preps ought to advance to the front rank, with Jensen, Delp, Roop and Walnoha, four stalward players in the fold.

Coach Walter J. Krug's Big Blue basketeers are slated to open their season with a strictly local contest with Strayer's Business College next Saturday night on the Kendall Green softwood floor. While practice has been under way for nearly two weeks, Coach Krug has as yet been unable to get a line on his material.

Coach Harvev B Barnes' wrestling squad swings into action with the Y. M. C. A. next Friday evening on the local floor. Not since Tom Williams, '08, has the college had such enthusiasm as exists today.

Married

Love laughs at prison bars and even at nature's locks.

This was demonstrated Thursday as Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Thetford, deaf-mutes, sped to Miami, following their marriage here.

Mr. Thetford used the universal language signs when he popped the question to Miss Montie V. Horton, cousin of Mrs. H. G. Hester, employe of the Atlanta waterworks department. It worked.

The wedding took place Wednesday night, at the home of the bride's cousin, 468 Greenwood Avenue, N. E., and as both principals were deaf-mutes, and two others of the wedding party also deaf-mutes, an interpreter was employed to translate the "sign" wedding for the small audience of close friends who witnessed the ceremony.

Rev. Sam Freeman, a deaf-mute, performed the ceremony, and the best man, Eugene Everett, of New Orleans, also a deaf-mute.

Miss Sarah Cleveland, employe of the city waterworks department, was the maid of honor. Little Martha Jane Horton, niece of the bride, was the flower girl, and Douglas Alfred was the ring bearer.

The bride formerly lived at Rome, Ga., but moved to Atlanta several years ago. The groom and his parent operate the George Washington hotel, New York City. —*Atlanta Constitution Nov. 27.*

OHIO

News items for this column can be sent to Miss B. Edgar, 56 Latta Ave., Columbus, O.

The automobile club of deaf autoists in Columbus had an interesting meeting in November, with many members present. The dues for membership were reduced from two dollars a year to fifty cents; thus, hoping to gain more members. The election of officers took place, and Mr. A. Anderson was elected chairman to succeed Rev. Smielau. Mr. Jacobson remains as vice-chairman as does also Mr. E. Kennedy as secretary-treasurer.

A local paper recently had a good picture in it of the lip-reading class of the league for hard-of-hearing. Mrs. Ida Wilson, the teacher, told the reporter that words, which could not be *easily* understood, were written on the blackboard.

Today, December 1st, notice were sent to parents telling of the Christmas vacation, which is to begin December 18th and will end January 4th. It is supposed that most of the children will go home.

Mr. Earl Mather, of Richmond, Ind., was in Columbus over Thanksgiving Day and the week-end as the guest of the Zell family. He took in the entertainment at the school and like every one else pronounced it "good and funny." He also visited the school during Friday morning and in the afternoon, with Mr. Ernest Zell, visited the factory, where Mr. Casper Jacobson is employed. Mr. Mather's many friends here were glad to see him.

Mrs. Wm. Hoy, of Cincinnati, was in Columbus Friday with her youngest daughter. They went to the Ohio Home with Mr. Zorn and Miss MacGregor, to see about the linoleum for the resident's dining-room, which the Cincinnati Circle is to furnish. Mrs. Hoy left this in the hands of Mr. Zorn, Mrs. Thomas and Miss MacGregor.

Mrs. Ida Wilson entertained Mrs. Hoy, her daughter and a few members of the League for the hard of hearing, at dinner.

The Thanksgiving entertainment gotten up by Mr. Zell, Miss Davis, Miss Edgar and Mr. Zorn, proved so funny that some feared the applauding would shake the chapel too much. All the actors were pupils and did their parts well. A shadow show always pleases children and this one was unusually pleasing. The first scene showed the first Thanksgiving dinner with the Indians and Pilgrims. The second was where a wife wanted her aged husband made young through the monkey gland method. The operation scene with knife and saws was well done, and then the old man gradually grew smaller and younger till he was a baby. The irate wife demanded the gland removed and her money back and also her old man. The third scene was a laughable one in the "Fryfogle" barber shop, and produced yells of joy from the deaf audience. The day of feasting ended with much laughing and all retired in a happy mood.

The Nickel and Dime Social given by the Dayton Ladies' Aid Society brought in a little over ten dollars. This was the amount the society wanted to earn towards a vaccum sweeper for the Home, and as they met their quota, they felt satisfied.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Mundary, son and daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mundary, of Dayton, were called home from New York by the death of Mrs. Mundary's mother, who died following an operation. Just before the mother's death a son was taken to the same hospital for an operation, and each passed away without knowing of the death of the other. Young Mrs. Mundary while in Dayton was offered her old position as stenographer and accepted. Mr. Mundary will come back to Dayton soon to accept a position there.

It will repay everyone connected with the education of the deaf to read carefully and thoughtfully Mr. E. A. Stevenson's article in the *California News*, entitled "Go Slowly and Cautiously." It is surely an excellent article for us all to read and ponder over it.

Mrs. Mary Mann White, aged 75, a former pupil of the Ohio school, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Cross, in Rome, New York, after an illness of a year. Mr. White passed away some years ago. After the funeral at the daughter's home the remains were taken to Cincinnati, O., for burial, as that city was her former home. Mrs. White entered the Ohio school in 1873, from Cincinnati.

Mrs. Lizzie Monnin, of Canton, is the guest of Mrs. Laignor in Akron for a time.

Mrs. Ruth, after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Newark, spent several days in Zanesville as the guest of Mrs. Laverna C. Pumphrey and then returned to her home in Athens.

The folks at our school, being thankful they are not among the unemployed subscribed, over $800 to the Columbus community fund. E.

Portland, Oregon

Mr. Fred Wondrack invited about thirty-five of his friends to a bunco party on Saturday night, November 14th, at the big home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Linde. Prizes for the most games went to Mr. Miles Sanders and Mrs. B. L. Craven. The latter received a beautiful jewel box, while Mr. Sanders won a skeleton head with a moving jaw. The event ended with delicious ice-cream, cake and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon. Ramsel, of Los Angeles, Cal., were recent visitors in Portland. They were invited to the bunco party given by Fred Wondrack November 14th, and were introduced to many deaf there. Mr. and Mrs. Ramsel were married a year ago at the Southern California city. Mrs. Ramsel was formerly Miss Ruth Gephart, a graduate of the Minnesota school, while Mr. Ramsel is from the Texas school. Miss Hazel Heacock of Salem, Ore., and Mrs. Ramsel, who attended the same school, met for the first time since they left school at the Wondrack bunco party.

About fifty people attended the party given by the young deaf members of the United Presbyterian Sunday School Class, on Friday night, November 13th. Many fine games were played and very good eats were served. Everybody there claims a wonderful time was had.

Mrs. J. O. Reichle is working hard to make the O. A. D. party December 31st the best ever. A large crowd is expected to end the old year and welcome 1932, with hopes for better times during the new year. Mrs. Reichle, Mrs. C. H. Linde and Mrs. C. Greenwald are the committee in charge. Let us all turn out and enjoy the last event of this year.

Nearly fifty people were present at the O. A. D. party on Saturday night, November 21st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooke.

Mr. Preston Masters died Tuesday, November 17th, from a heart attack. He was sixty-four years old and seemed in good health just before he died. He was a member of Portland Division, No. 41, for a number of years. He is survived by a son and daughter. Mr. Masters exchanged his Portland home for a forty-acre farm, where he was comfortably settled previous to the fatal attack.

The O. A. D. party given on Saturnight, November 28th, at Salem, came out a complete success, despite the hard times. Many from Portland attended the event, making the attendance nearly 100. Mr. William F. Cooke held the lucky number to a thirteen-pound turkey. Mr. Weber carried off a goose, while young Bob, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lindstrom, was the lucky winner of a chicken. Miss Heacock gave a fine turkey song, dressed in a beautiful sailor suit. Praise for the success of the party goes to Miss Heacock, who was chairman, with Dynamite Charles Lynch and others on the committee whose names the writer did not get. Some of the Portland visitors were taken care of overnight, through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lindstrom and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lynch. Everybody had a real good time and a neat profit was realized for the benefit of the O. A. D. convention to be held in Salem next summer, which date will be announced soon.

Mrs. Cora Walthers invited about sixteen of her friends to a bridge party on Wednesday night, November 25th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nelson. Prizes for highest score went to Mr. C. H. Linde and Miss Marie Walsh. Turkey sandwiches, cake and coffee, were served, and all claimed a fine time was had. The affair broke up at midnight.

The readers of this weekly paper who live in Portland and other parts of Oregon will please send news to keep the Portland column popular. Send your news to 2829 Sixty-Second Street, S. E., Portland, Ore. It you want to subscribe send $2.00 to your Oregon writer for one year's subscription. Wishing all readers the compliments of the holidays.

H. P. N.

Nov. 30, 1931.

Long Branch, N. J.

There will be a Watch Night held by the Shore Silent Club, on December 31st, 1931, at 7:30 P.M., at 162 Broadway, Long Branch, N. J. An admission fee of fifty cents will be charged.

A basketball quintet has just been organized in Long Branch, and hopes to meet some of the stronger clubs of the shore section. The new team is composed of members of the Shore Silent Club, and its membership is recruited from former deaf school stars in Trenton, N. J., Staunton, Va., and Morganton, N. C. The players are John Schmitt, Stephen Corello, Otto Mangrum, Harold Forestal, Ray Sherrill, and Jerry Newman.

James Callano (hearing), quarterback of the Long Branch Progressives' football team, is managing the new outfit, and applications for games should be sent to him at 356 Willow Avenue, Long Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Forestal have just returned from their honeymoon on November 29th. They toured some parts of New Jersey, Petersburg, Va., Washington, D. C., and Maryland, for three weeks. They are now settled down to reside at Main Street, Bradley Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Forestal, who have just returned from their wedding trip, were the guests of honor at a surprise shower given by members of the Shore Silent Club on December 1st. They were the recipients of many useful and attractive gifts from their friends, who attended from Long Branch, Bradley Beach and Red Bank. Those attending were Mrs. Mary Dwyer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dwyer and daughter, Harriet, Mr. and Mrs. George Dwyer and children, George, Jr., and Billy, Miss Lillian Dwyer, Miss Ray Smith, all of Red Bank; Rudy Peluso, of Long Branch; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cevelier, Bradley Beach, all members of the Long Branch Club; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Throckmorton, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wenzel, and Joseph A. Pingitore, of Long Branch; Ray Sherrill, Ralph Apicelli, Miss Pearl Zoltock, of Asbury Park; Mr. and Mrs. Roco Naples, of Bradley Beach; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Katz, of Point Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Dundon and daughter, Dorothy, and Jerry Newman, of Belmar; and Otto Mangrum, of Ocean Grove.

J. A. P.

OMAHA

George L. Revers was called from Elk City, Okla., to attend the funeral of his father on November 13th. Theodore Revers, aged forty-seven, was a Polish Catholic, and a popular member of the Omaha police force for eleven years. He had been ill with dropsy and liver complications for several months. Among the many floral offerings was a huge wreath from the police department, with the words, "Our Pal," and a beautiful spray from the Elk City, Okla., *Daily News*. George returned to his work on Monday, November 16th. This was his third trip south in seven months, and this time he was going home to find a little woman waiting for him there.

We regret to chronicle the passing on November 22d of Mrs. Della Ransey Taylor, aged fifty-one, beloved wife of Luther H. Taylor, the famous baseball pitcher of a decade ago. Mrs. Taylor, a teacher at the Iowa school for several years, was ill with pneumonia for only eight days, so her passing was a shock to her Omaha and Council Bluffs friends.

She was taken from the Iowa school to a hospital in town, and Mr. Taylor was called from his fruit farm near Ozark, Mo., also her deaf brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey, of Olathe, Kan. On Sunday morning, she passed away, remaining conscious almost until the end. The funeral services were held at Cutler's Undertaking Parlors in Council Bluffs, on Monday afternoon, with many of the teachers, officers, and Senior Class of the Iowa school attending. Rev. Bransby, of the First Presbyterian Church, preached a beautiful sermon, with Mrs. Dorothy Long Thompson interpreting. The casket was banked with flowers from friends at the Iowa school, also the Cobia Club, Council Bluffs Frat Division, No. 103, and others. Mr. Taylor took the body to his home at Baldwin, Kan., where another service was held. Many relatives and Kansas friends attended. He returned to Council Bluffs on November 30th, to attend to business matters before deciding what to do. His chief regret was that she had never seen the country home he was preparing for her near Ozark, Mo. She was eagerly anticipating a visit there the coming Christmas vacation. Mrs. Taylor had many friends, both deaf and hearing, in all parts of the country, her husband having played in California, in New York with John McGraw's famous Giants, in Ohio, Kansas, and the southeastern States. She was an enthusiastic rooter at the games, and, in fact, was invariably loyal to her husband, her friends, and her school. She was noted for her refined taste in dress and manners, and had cordial, cheerful greetings for all. Mrs. Taylor's many friends were sorry to learn of her untimely passing, and sympathize with her husband in his loss.

Owen Study entertained informally at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Mullin on Wednesday evening, November 25th. The guest of honor was Eugene Fry, who recently returned with his mother from a very pleasant and profitable trip to Europe. They brought back gifts from different countries for their friends. They spent a few weeks in Ireland with Mrs. Fry's brother, and also visited England and France. Mr. Fry gave a description of their trip, and the rest of the evening was spent playing games. Appropriate refreshments were served.

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CHICAGO

A Football Dance, minus "500" and bunco, which other organizations have added to their annual dances this Fall, was featured by Jipp-Chico Athletic Club at Occidental Hall, 14 North Sacramento Boulevard, Saturday, November 28th. Net result: Youth was predominant, with a sparse sprinkling of older dancers. A little more extensive advertising probably could have attracted a few more to make it a substantial success. It must be handed to this club, that it is sportsmanslike in having distributed miniature footballs to all gratis at the dance. Every one treasured it as a souvenir.

This self-same club will change its name to Silent Indians Athletic Club and re-incorporate under that title by 1932. It has elected its new officers, Edwin Allen, President; Florian Sarbark; and Raymond Sass, Treasurer (re-elected).

Apparently Chicago Demon Basketball Team is not going to flop as predicted. It is very much alive, up and doing it; it is going through its practice grind down at south side. The personnel is as follows: Frank Suzzard, Captain; Herman Skedsmo, Thomas Cain, Jerry Montgomery, Forrest Reid, Melvin Baugh (colored and hails from Jacksonville school), George Perry, George Mikl, Conway Trench. It is being managed by Walter Kudsk.

All-star team of Likem Bowling League, including Ben Ursin, Thomas Moore, Henry Bruns, Hugo Pulver and Theo. Zientarski, met and defeated Edward Schmidt (formerly a member of Likem Bowling League), and his team at Stephenson and Schalk Bowling Alleys, 79th Street and Cottage Grove Avenue, November 28th. They won three games by 45 points.

Tuesday night, December 1st, at the regular meet of Likem League, Hugo Pulver reached the highest total record for three games in the history of this group—he made 649 points, so it is reported.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Chicago Division, No. 106, elected 1932 officers, Ethel Hinrichs, President; and Sadie Crooks, Secretary-Treasurer.

Trouncing the unbeaten Illinois State School for the Deaf football team at Olathe, on Thanksgiving, Kansas won the American deaf schools championship for 1931.

So important did this game loom, that the *Chicago Tribune* of the 27th ran the returns in its column of College Rusults. Yes, sir; classed our schools with colleges! This from the one-time "durn the deaf" *Tribune*, mind you!

The score was the same as last year —12 to 0.

Kansas rightfully deserves the title, by any system of calculation. With her Missouri and Iowa games suddenly cancelled because of scarlet fever, Kansas won all its other seven games, rolling up a total of 311 points to opponents 8. Missouri had already lost to the Ilini, 41 to 0; while Iowa lost to Nebraska, 18 to 0, and Kansas trounced Nebraska, 51 to 0.

Burns' boys went unbeaten until meeting Kansas. They played scoreless ties with Neesam's Wisconsin and with Routt College (this later one of their two night games.) Illinois won seven combats, and scored 227 points to opponents thirty for the season.

Our lads' most amazing victory was the 26-12 contest with Lane Tech, one of Chicago's strongest high schools, in a suddenly-arranged Armistice Day program, the proceeds going to the relief of the unemployed. Lane has some 4,000 students, contrasted to Jacksonville's 600. Kansas has about 215 pupils.

In the fifteen years Edward S. Foltz has coached, his teams have lost to a deaf school but once. Not once in the past eleven games with deaf schools has the Kansas goal line been violated. This year Foltz's flock travelled some 2,000 miles, and defeated Arkansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska in addition to our own proud Illini.

Next year's game will be held in Jacksonville, and fully a hundred local rooters will probably attend the affair —hoping to see Burns' boys bring the career of the terrible Kansas juggernaut to a sudden halt.

The Wisconsin State School for the Deaf basketball team open its season Saturday, November 28th, when it played the Milwaukee Silents, a team composed of alumni and Milwaukee Day School graduates. The first and second teams played the first game, starting at 8 o'clock sharp.

The deaf son of Mr. and Mrs. Kreider, deaf couple, came all the way from California by auto to visit his parents. He has a wife and a baby there. After his visit on his return to that State, he was traveling in his auto near Aurora, Ill., last week, when another auto struck and damaged the car, which necessitated his return to the home of the Kreiders for a few days' stay, until the car was repaired. This week he resumed his journey.

A social sale and a "500" and bunco party at C. D. C. house Sunday, November 29th, were a grand success in point of the receipts of the sale of many articles on display, charges of refreshments and attendance. All were welcome to attend and aid the cause. Half of the proceeds went to the building fund and the other half to the E. S. A. fund.

Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and A. Vezinsky, was wedded to a hearing man, named Richard Tuchs, Wednesday, November 25th. After the ceremony, about one hundred guests were invited to attend a reception at Webster Hotel. He is a clerk in a bank.

Miss Charlotte Pewton stopped off here Saturday, November 28th, on her way from Detroit, Mich., back to her home in California. Her friend, Miss Lottie Hitchcock, met her at the train and they had a two-hour pleasant chat between trains. She left for her State at 11:30 P.M. with pleasant thoughts of her visit with her relatives and trips.

Erastus Rhodes, brother of Mrs. B. F. Frank, a retired farmer, residing in Kankakee, Il., visiting with his sister, was at the Methodist services.

Rev. H. S. Rutherford was in the pulpit. The cleansing blow of Jesus Christ was the subject—text: 1 John 1 : 17.

A number of residents of the Home for the Aged Deaf attended the Methodist services, Sunday, November 29th.

Mrs. Emma Kolhoff, of Kalamazoo, Mich., returned home this week, after passing two months with her sister and deaf friends.

E. S. A. held a smoker at the Catholic Deaf Club house, Saturday, November 28th, with a good attendance. The affair was private for men only.

The deaf fittingly observed Thanksgivig with services, football games, and many home gatherings.

THIRD FLAT.

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St. Louis

The Rev. G. R. Groth, of Vancouver, B. C., Can., a missionary to the deaf, happened to be in St. Louis to attend a conference, while visiting some of his friends and mentioned the deaf. He was informed that a deaf couple lived just across the street. The friend made arrangements to bring him over to Mr. and Mrs. William Stafford's home. He was so glad to see them, as he was familiar with the deaf language. After a good talk all around, he was asked to be at the Union Avenue Christian Church Silent Bereans Class on the 22d, at 7 P.M. He was more than happy to accept the invitation. He was there on time to get acquainted with those already present. He took charge of the meeting for half an hour, and he did very well, although some of the signs were different from ours, nevertheless we all understood him. He had to leave before the meeting closed, because he had to fulfill another appointment in a hearing church. We were glad to have him with us and hope he will call again.

The Union Avenue Christian Church with other churches, getting together gave a Thanksgiving dinner at the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday, November 26th, to the young men who were out of work, and had no permanent homes in St. Louis. The committee did not forget the Silent Bereans, so the chairman, Mrs. W. S. Burns, was at the Bible Class on the 22d. She invited all the young men to be present. There were about twenty of them who were there to partake of the turkey and cranberries, and have a good time with the hearing young men and to be thankful. It is one of the new enterprises that the Union Avenue Christian Church is doing for the deaf.

A friend of George D. Hunter calling on him one morning on business was surprised to see him using the old style razor, instead of an up-to-date safety. George said that he will stick to the old fashioned as long as he can glide the razor without trouble. He has reached the 72d milestone, and is hale and healthy, although he is not working as steadily as of yore, on account of the depression.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Bretscher, who was married about a year and a half ago, living in Minnesota, where wild game is abundant, wrote an interesting letter about her first hunting outing with her husband. She claimed to be a better shooter than her husband, as she bagged a rabbit and squirrel.

Rev. Charles Schubkegel, the Lutheran missionary, had to undergo another major operation at the Lutheran Hospital. We hope by this time he is on the road of recovery.

The aged mother of Mrs. Leopold Froning was taken to the St. Luke's Hospital for treatment and we sincerely hope for her recovery. She is well-known among the deaf who wish to see her on her feet again.

A cottage meeting was held at Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bryant's on the 16th. It was a grand success, because there was a good gathering of the deaf, in spite of the inclement weather.

The executive committee of the Missouri Association for the Deaf met at Fulton, Missouri, on the 14th, to transact some important business. They have decided to hold the next convention at Kansas City, Mo., June 29th to July 4th. Please paste those dates in your hat and begin to prepare for that occasion, as the committee announces that there will be "big times."

The Gallaudet Club Movie had a very large attendance on the 25th, as they gave away to the lucky ones who paid the admission fee three live chickens and three baskets loaded with groceries, which made the winners happy on Thanksgiving Day. All the chairs were taken and many had to use the standing space.

The Women's Guild (Episcopal) had a very good attendance at their annual supper and bazaar on the 21st. They realized a good harvest, which helps to meet the expenses of the St. Thomas Episcopal Mission.

Sunday, December 6th, at 7 P.M., will be "Memorial Day" at the Union Avenue Christian Church Silent Bereans. Short memoirs will be given in regards to our departed members since the class was organized. It is expected there will be an extra large attendane.

Andy Frederick, one of our sports who is not yet in his twentieth year, is a member of the Ben Miller Soccer Team. He has been playing some good games. Being totally deaf he knows when the referee is whistling, which puzzles the players. It shows that the deaf can do almost anything that hearing people can do, regardless in being handicapped by the loss of one of the senses.

Thanksgiving Day was a miserable day, as it tried to snow. Most of the deaf stayed home to help eat the feast, or go to the movies and then to the Gallaudet Club, where they feel at home in seeing their friends and in playing games.

REXY.

FANWOOD

In 1893, Mr. Enoch Henry Currier became Principal, and the Institution entered upon what might be termed a renaissance period. After sixty years of use, much of the equipment had become obsolete, and modern ideas in housing and sanitation made changes in the buildings advantageous.

One of the first improvements was the erection of a building on the 165th Street side of the school grounds, especially designed to house the boilers and heating system on the ground floor, with the second and third stories for the laundry. The most modern equipment of the time was installed in each, and a long tunnel built to connect the building with the main group.

When completed, it was possible to remove the old laundry—a frame cottage built alongside the Academic Building, which cut off considerable light and air from several classrooms. The old boiler house was half way between the trades school and academic buildings, right in the middle of what is now the boys' playground, but was screened from view by a circle of fine maple trees. This was also torn down.

In 1896 a row of three large ornamental green houses were erected at the corner of 165th Street, and horticulture was added to the list of vocational subjects taught the boys. Choice flowers and plants were grown, and during their existence the school was plentifully supplied with cut flowers, palms and other plants needed for special occasions.

Physical Culture having become an accepted part of the city public school system, a gymnasium with all the necessary apparatus and an accredited instructor was installed.

In 1904 the new hospital was built on the boys' side, including the contagious annex, which was changed to the children's annex last year. About the same time it was being built, the boys' playground underwent a big transformation. The rocky ledge in the front part was blasted away, and the stone utilized in building large coal storage bins in the back part, which was at the low end of a slope. The two places being counterbalanced, made the almost level playground we have today.

Mr. Currier was a man of indomitable energy and once he was convinced of the merits of a thing, he supported it with unfaltering zeal. He instituted many improvements in the administration of school affairs and brought about a high degree of efficiency. He inaugurated the military system for the boys, despite outspoken doubt and derision in many quarters, but lived to see it proved of inestimable benefit, and copied by most of the leading schools for the deaf of other States.

Principal Currier had a most pleasant personality and was always courteous, though he could voice his disapproval in no uncertain terms. He took a keen interest in his work and inspired his pupils, teachers and officers with his boundless enthusiasm. He was a fluent speaker and was influential in securing generous appropriations from time to time from the State Legislature to carry on the work of teaching the deaf, and maintaining Fanwood as the premier school of its kind.

Mr. Currier died suddenly during the summer of 1917, at his house at Essex on Lake Champlain, N. Y. He was succeeded by Mr. Isaac B. Gardner, then principal of the Arkansas institution at Little Rock. Mr. Gardner was the logical man for the position, having been a teacher here for a good many years before he was called to the southern school. He thoroughly understood the aims and system at Fanwood, and has wisely guided its course the past fourteen years. Principal Gardner's health has been somewhat impaired recently, and at present he is recuperating in the sunny clime of Florida, and all connected with the Institution hope for his ultimate restoration to health and his return to them soon.

On Thursday, December 3d, Major Landon, President of the Institution, visited all the classrooms on the top floor of the school building, the Radioear room and the Typewriting Class. The Major expressed satisfaction with conditions as observed by him.

The modern trend in display signs today is toward the cut-out style. Instead of painting on regular flat surfaces as formerly, it is now the vogue to cut out letters, edges of signs, etc.

In order to keep up-to-date, the Sign Painting Class has been provided with a small, portable electric machine, the trade name of which is "Cutawl." This tool does away with the slow, tedious hand operations, and designs of the most intricate type can be produced with ease. The time for execution is reduced to a minimum and the field of the display man is enlarged to greater possibilities for improvement. The operation is very simple, and the boys have already turned out some very unique designs.

Physical Dirctor Frank T. Lux announces the change in name of the Margraf Athletic Association to Fanwood Midgets Athletic Association, with the approval of Major Van Tassell.

It has forty members and they have various games, such as basketball tournaments, football, volley ball, track events, also indoor games, as chess, fingerpool, checkers, dominoes and the popular ping-pong. At the end of each year prizes awarded. The members always enjoy the competition between themselves. When they have grown up and become big enough, they are promoted to the larger association, which is called the Fanwood Athletic Association.

The basketball game Fanwood had scheduled with Curtis High School has been postponed on account of the disability of two of our stars, Ovary and Tedesco. The former has an injured finger, while the latter is still in the hospital.

There was a heart-throbbing basketball game on the afternoon of Thursday, December 3d, when the Brownsville and Waterbury teams of the Junior tournament battled for second place. A last minute goal enabled the Brownsville team to win by the score of 9 to 8.

NEWS FROM THE GIRLS' SIDE

During the Thanksgiving vacation, Eleanor Swenson and Alma Smith spent their vacation together at the latter's home in Long Island. Alma's brother took them on an auto tour of Long Island, but it was cut short by an auto accident. Fortunately Alma and Eleanor were unhurt.

On Friday, Nov. 27th, a group of girls went on a hike across to New Jersey. They went up through the Interstate Park, but could not go very far, because of the snow. They all returned later in the evening, tired and cold, but happy. Those who went were, Misses, M. Szemetz, B. Marsnall, H. Reston, E. Koplowitz, T. Newman, C. Herman, N. Wiener and E. Keacher.

Viola Jungle attended a very large party at her home in Schenectady in honor of her small niece. She reports it was a very lovely party

On Thanksgiving Day Violet Nickrasz went to Danbury, Conn., with her father and some friends. There they enjoyed an excellent turkey dinner with their relatives.

On Thanksgiving evening Katherine O'Brien and Congetta Fernando went to the Hotel Astor, where they attended a ball. It was very lovely and they both had a good time.

B. M.

Gaillard Fund

This is the JOURNAL bulletin of money received for the benefit of M. Henri Gaillard, the distinguished deaf friend of the deaf of France in particular and the deaf of the world in general. His sickness of more than a year's duration suggests that monetary relief is required. All contributions will be bulletined in the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL and forwarded to Mr. Gaillard at Paris, France.

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NEW YORK

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A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

WESTCHESTER ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF

The launching of the Westchester Association of the Deaf, known to the outsiders as W. A. D., took place at the clubroom at Mount Vernon, N. Y., Saturday evening, December 5th, and was an impressive ceremony with a good-sized attendance. Following the election of the officers for the first year, President S. J. Riley spoke to the W. A. D., regarding necessary places to make the organization grow strong financially, and derive the most benefits for its members. Mr. Max Lubin, Deputy of Manhattan Division No. 87, spoke to the members and guests about Fraternity and its organization. After this speech, Mr. J. Graham, founder and President of the Bronx Division No. 92, and Mr. Henry Bettels, of New Rochelle, were speakers. The nomination and election of the officers for the first year resulted as follows:—

President, S. J. Riley, of Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Vice-President, Richard Bowdren, of Peekskill, N. Y.; Secretary, Fred C. Berger, of New Rochelle, N. Y.; Treasurer, Henry Bettels, of New Rochelle, N. Y.; Custodian, J. Boynan, of Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Board of Trustees: J. Donahue, of Portchester, N. Y.; Wm. Mellis, of Mount Vernon, N. Y.; W. Whalen, of Yonkers, N. Y.

Any information regarding the W. A. D. and membership desired can be obtained on request from Secretary Fred C. Berger, 145 Sickles Avenue, New Rochelle, N. Y.

MANHATTAN FRATS

On Wednesday evening, December 2d, the Manhattan Frats held their regular monthly business meeting in the Union League Hall, 143 West 125th Street, Manhattan. The attendance was the largest for the present year. The reason for this is, that on this evening the election of officers for 1932 was held.

The result was as follows: President, Nathan Schwartz, (re-elected for the third term); Vice-President, Leo Weiner; Secretary, Joseph Worzel; Treasurer, Henry Peters; Director, Joseph Schultz; Trustee for three years, Lester Cohen; Sergeant-at-Arms, Lester J. Hyams.

Mr. Samuel Frankenheim was present, and in the capacity of chairman of the Banquet Committee of the forthcoming Tenth Anniversary Celebration of Manhattan Division, No. 87, N. F. S. D., distributed tickets. The celebration will take place at the Tip-Toe Inn, Broadway and Eighty-sixth Street, Manhattan, N. Y. C., on Saturday evening, January 16th, 1932, at seven o'clock.

BROOKLYN FRATS

On Saturday evening, December 4th, after the regular monthly business meeting, the Brooklyn Frats elected new officers for the term of 1932, as follows: President, Harry J. Goldberg; Vice-President, Hycanith Drawis; Secretary, Nicholas McDermitt; Treasurer, Joseph J. Gabriel; Director, Solomon Pachter; Sergeant-at-Arms, Harry Neufeld; Trustees, Joseph P. Deunan, Paul J. DiAnno, Eddie Kerwin.

BRONX FRATS

Last Friday evening, the Bronx Frats elected new officers for 1932, after their business meeting: President, James McGovern; Vice-President, William Radebold; Secretary, A. Edelheimer; Treasurer, A. Rubano.

H. A. D.

"The Deaf in Industry" was the topic ably discussed by Mr. Samuel Kohn, at the Friday Evening Forum, on December 4th. This was Mr. Kohn's initial appearance after an interval of eighteen years, and he has lost none of his old-time oratorical vigor, if one may judge by the close attention accorded him by all those present.

The Hannukah Celebration Program staged by the children of the Religious Class (all Fanwood pupils) went over with eclat last Sunday evening, the 6th. In spite of the little time at their disposal, the children had devoted themselves so whole-heartedly to the success of their progaam, that the performance they gave was a very effective and entertaining one. Then again, the presence of their beloved Dr. Fox inspired them to put forth unusual efforts.

The balance of the evening was devoted to Movies, depicting life in in Palestine and a feature film, "Fu Manchu." There was a "pre-view" of the "H. A. D. Goldbergs" which was shown through the city some time ago, and which Dr. Nash is now revising, so as to supply sub-titles etc. The completed picture will be shown at a later date.

Our Vaudeville Show on Sunday evening, December 20th, is destined to draw the crowd. Our own "glorified follies" will step into action under direction of Stage Manager Sol Garson. And there are other surprises—but, well come and see for yourselves.

BROOKLYN HEBREW SOCIETY OF THE DEAF, INC.

On Sunday evening, November 22d, at the auditorium of the H. E. S. Building, the Brooklyn Hebrew Society of the Deaf, Inc., had a movie show under the operation of Mr. Kleinerman, a producer. The picture was entitled, "The Queen of the Chorus," and other pictures. After the show, the lucky numbers were selected by the daughter of Arthur Helfgott, a member of the society, blindfolded. The lucky winners were: Mrs. Haberman, Miss L. Proogman, Messrs. L. Berger and Charles Devitt.

The society holds its next regular monthly meeting on Sunday afternoon, December 13th, with the election of new officers for 1932. After the meeting in the evening, moving pictures will be shown.

XAVIER EPHPHETA SOCIETY

The Xavier Ephpheta Society elected new officers or 1932 last week, as follows: President, Jerry Fives; First Vice-President, Paul J. DiAnno; Second Vice-President, Thomas Cosgrove; Secretary, Miss Vitti; Treasurer, Miss A. Austra.

The Xavier Ephpheta Society was organized in 1903 and incorporated in 1913.

On Saturday, January 30th, 1932, it will hold a monster athletic meet-basketball and dance in the 69th Regiment Armory.

NEW FRAT DIVISION?

There was an informal meeting of the members of three divisons at Jamaica last Friday evening,. There were only six members present, owing to inclement weather. There is a possibility of a new division for Queens Borough. Members living in Queens Borough who wish to join with us for a new division, can write to Joseph Leghorn, 118-20 Fourteenth Road, College Point, L. I.

Mrs. DeWitt Himrod has taken up her abode in Dallas, Tex. Her son-in-law and family motored to Dallas, going there in seven days, and Mrs. Himrod accompanied them. Her son-in-law, Joseph J. Skinner, is a certined accountant and is now a partner in the Dallas branch of a New York firm.

Mrs. Elmer Willets mourns the passing way of her mother, who dropped dead, while at work on Wednesday, November 5th. She was fifty-five years old. She left a son and a daughter. She was buried in the Astoria Cemetery on Saturday, November 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rubano celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary at their residence, on the evening of Saturday, December 5th, in the presence of their many relatives and friends. They were well remembered with good wishes for a continuance of their happy wedded life. Games, dancing and refreshments, and a huge and beautiful wedding cake made it a very happy occasion. They received many nice gifts.

In the JOURNAL office, there is a photo-group of picnic of the Manhattan Division, No. 87, N. F. S. D., held at Hoffman Casino, Bronx, N. Y., June 30th, 1928, taken by Anthony Capelle, Jr., and is considered one of the best photo-groups taken of deaf organizations. Anthony Capelle, Jr., is now conducting a photograph studio in Worcester, Mass.

Those who love romance can see it on the screen at Hudson Theatre on Saturday, December 12th, and if they are interested concerning "Ladies of Leisure," they can satisfy their curiosity by attending the same theatre either on Sunday, the 13th, or Monday, the 14th.

The will of the late Leonie Mansfield, who died on October 24th, left virtually her entire estate, estimated at more than $10,000, to public institutions, among which $1,000 is willed to the "Home for Destitute Deaf."

The father-in-law of Ethel Toburn, of Yonkers, died last Sunday. Old-time Fanwood pupils will remember Thomas Toburn as a schoolmate twenty years ago.

The Louis Hagans have moved to 1234—41st Street, Brooklyn. Despite the depression, the butter and egg business is in flourishing condition, consequently our deaf butter and egg man, Louis Hagan, is among the silents who are steadily employed.

Jack Seltzer is again a patient at the Presbyterian Hospital. He was admitted there on Saturday, November 28th.

On Thursday, December 17th, the Deaf-Mutes' Union League elects new officers for 1932.

And on Sunday, December 20th, the H. A. D. also elects new officers for 1932.

There will be a party for the children members of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, in the Union League Hall, on Sunday, December 27th.

At Brighton Beach, N. Y., Julius Byck is doing carpentry and repair work of all kinds. He also does plastering and sign painting.

Pacific Northwest Services

EPISCOPAL

Rev. Olof Hanson, Missionary

Seattle: Wilhelmina Chapel of St. Mark's Cathedral, first and third Sunday each montth, 11 A.M.

PHILADELPHIA

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1538 North Dover Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

During last Summer false rumors reached us concerning the whereabouts of our former schoolmate Mr. Samuel S. Haas. These rumors made him appear as having gone South or somewhere. Feeling anxious to know the truth, we made inquiry about Mr. Haas' whereabouts in our JOURNAL column and later we learned that he attended the Pennsylvania Society's meeting in Harrisburg. On December 3d the following news note appeared in the Williamsport *Sun*:

SHAMOKIN.—Samuel Haas, a deaf-mute of this place, was seriously injured by a car, driven by C. K. Horner, Shamokin High School wrestling coach. The accident happened at Treverton. Haas, who is said to have walked directly into the path of the car, suffered a broken arm, a fracture of the left leg, head and body contusions and abrasions. He is a patient at the Shamokin Hospital.

We feel sorry for this unfortunate accident, for Mr. Haas is well on in years. About three months ago Mr. William Hummel of Lewisburg, Pa., an old friend of Mr. Haas had a somewhat similar accident. He was hit by an automobile and, as a result, had several ribs fractured, but we learned that he is recovering.

Here in Philadelphia we have two automobile injury cases at present. That of Mrs. Kate Hoopes appears to be the most serious, from the fact that pneumonia aggravates her condition. Notwithstanding this she is expected to recover. So far Mrs. Emma J. Dantzer's case is free from complications, and if this continues so, she may be able to greet Santa Claus at her son's home.

Being in a favorable location that is easy of access from all directions, she has visitors most every day and a crowd of them on Sunday. She occupies a private room in the Temple University Hospital on North Broad St., not far from All Souls' Church for the Deaf.

The Rev. Warren M. Smaltz, Mrs. Smaltz and her two young girls have all been under the weather for some time, but we do not know the exact condition of each one. Rev. Mr. Smaltz, however, is said to have a severe case of bronchitis, bordering on pneumonia, and is still confined to his room. His recovery is expected in due time, and we trust that the same may be expected of the other members of the family.

Mrs. Ada J. McKeehan of Carlisle, Pa., and sister of Mrs. Harry E. Stevens, is visiting at the Stevens home in Merchantville, N. J. She came on Saturday, 5th inst., and will remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Getrude Partington Weston, of Chicago, Ill., one of the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Partington, of this city, returned to the parental home on Sunday, December 6th, to remain until the first of the New Year. Meanwhile Mr. Weston has an opportunity to boil, fry or poach eggs, and perhaps bake sponge cake, without being watched by his better-half. Ha, ha! All of Mr. and Mrs. Partington's children, five daughters and one son, are able to use the sign-language with comparative ease and they are favorites with the deaf, sympathetic and friendly. All the children are married but one. Mr. and Mrs. Partington came originally from England and raised the children in America.

No. 30, N. F. S. D., held its regular monthly meeting on Friday evening, November 4th, and, among other business, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, Howard C. Ferguson; Vice-President, James E. Foster; Secretary, James F. Brady; Director, Cecil H. Turner; Sergeant-at-Arms, John C. Robinson. The trustees are the same as before.

They will be installed at the January meeting. The first Friday happens to fall on New Year's Day, a legal holiday, but the Division voted to hold the meeting as usual on that Friday. Those desiring to be excused should make it known to President Ferguson.

Dr. Henry L. Williams, famous football coach of the University of Minnesota from 1901 to 1920, who died on June 14th last, was the son of Dr. Job Williams, principal of the American School for the Deaf, Hartford, Conn., for thirty four years.—*The North Dakota Banner*.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McMann of Los Angeles were recent visitors in and around Berkeley. They took in the football game between the Foothills and Emeryville high school. "What a tricky team!" said Mr. McMann, referring to eleven—*Cal. News*.

St. Thomas' Mission for the Deaf

Bofinger Memorial Chapel, Thirteenth and Locust Streets, St. Louis, Mo.
Rev. A. O. Steidemann, minister in charge
Miss Hattie L. Deem, Sunday School teacher.
Sunday School at 9:30 A.M. Sunday Services at 10:45 A.M.
Woman's Guild, Second Thursdays, 2 P.M
Lectures, first and third Sundays 7:30 P.M
Socials, Fourth Saturdays, 7:30 P.M
Guild meetings lectures and socials in the Tuttle Memorial, 1210 Locust Street.

DETROIT

News items intended for this column should be sent to Mrs. Lucy E. May, 2534 Ottawa St., Detroit, Mich. Such news items from Detroiters and vicinity as well as from the deaf of Michigan will be most welcome and have prompt attention.

Thanksgiving Day, November 26th, was most fittingly observed by the Cadillac Association of the Deaf at their club hall with a Great Thanksgiving Day Fete. The hall resembled a hotel dining-room with its rows of long tables, which were prettily "dressed up" for the occasion and which fairly groaned under the weight of the good things to eat which consisted of the following:—

Roast Turkey
Shredded Lettuce Vegetable Salad
Mashed Potatoes Cranberry Sauce
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Rolls Celery Butter
Pumpkin Pie Apple Pie Mince Pie
Coffee Tea Milk

About one hundred and seventy guests were served, and after the inner man had been satisfied and everyone did full justice to the feast Mesdames Heymanson, Scally and the writer, were the corps of efficient assistants, who served the feast. The following programme was carried out.

Toastmaster	Ivan Heymanson
Invocation	A. C. Buxton
Thanksgiving Song	Mrs. Nellie Kenney
Welcome	Asa Stutsman
"Thanksgiving"	Otto Buby
Pull Together	Rev. H. B. Waters
The C. A. D.	Thomas Kenney
The Ladies' Auxiliary	Mrs. Lucy May

Other addresses were made by Miles C. Bristol, of Flint, who took for his subject, "Old Man Depression," Mr. W. K. Liddy followed with a talk on "Our Friends."

After the speeches, dancing and card playing took place. Among the visitors was Mr. Buxton's 87-year-old mother, who came all the way from Baltimore, Md., to spend the day with her son and the family. She made the trip alone. Other guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Bristol, of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. John Curry, of Toledo; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winegar, who are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Iackson, Royal Oak.

Several pictures were taken of the guests, while at the dining-room table, by Asa Stutsman.

Each and everyone had a most enjoyable time and here's hoping each one will be at the dear old C. A. D. on Thanksgiving Day, 1932.

The Thanksgiving dinner was arranged for the club's unemployed members, and the Community Fund presented the club with twenty-five dollars to be spent on food for unemployed members and some outsiders. Ivan Heymanson engineered of the big occasion. Messrs. R. K. Baird and George May printed the programs, cards and invitations.

The M. S. D. football team played against the Alumni at Flint on November 21st. The Flint boys won by 18 to 0.

Many visitors went and remained for the evening social at the Flint Social Club.

The prize baskets of food drew a good attendance at the D. A. D. socials in these lean days, *viz.*, Keno social November 14th and Harvest Time, November 20th to 21st, when two live turkeys livened things up. Harold Lungren captured one and also won a goose. Miss Beattie correctly guessed the contents of the mystery box, a guinea pig.

Mr. and Mrs. Rion Hoel, of Cincinnati, O., spent several days with the latter's relatives. Mr. Hoel left for Cincinnati last week. Mrs. Hoel is visiting with Mrs. Scott and dropped in C. A. D. Hall on Saturday, November 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beaver brought their children from school in Flint, and motored down to Bay City to spend their Thanksgiving Day with Mrs. Beaver's mother. Then they returned home on Saturday.

Mr. Leon LaPorte won five dollars at Arcadia Hall last October 31st, by his favorite costume as an Indian.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, of Ypslanti, were in Jackson, Mich., to spend their Thanksgiving Day with the latter's sister. Her other sister *from far west came to visit their folks.* They have not seen her for many years.

Mrs. Laura Walker was sick with pleurisy for two weeks, but is much improved at present.

Mrs. Ludwig, of Buffalo, N. Y., *came to attend the funeral of her aged* mother two weeks ago, and stayed several days with her brother Martin and Carl Cichocki.

August Spotter's mother passed away last week, after one week's illness of heart disease.

Miss Margaret Graf, one of the most popular young ladies, became engaged to Mr. Johnson recently.

Miss Charlotte Pewter is leaving for her folks' home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scally, their daughter and her husband, are leaving on their vacation in Jackson and other towns.

Miss Livonia Grattan left last Monday for Florida, to spend all winter. She stopped at Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., and Kentucky for a few days, before arriving at Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Darling took the Hellers down to Bay City, where they will stay with the latter's relatives for a few days.

Mrs. M. Halm's mother, sister and the family, of Canada, have been spending several days' visit with the former.

Mrs. Jennie Steele, of Columbus, O., called at the C. A. D. on Sunday, November 22d. She spent a week's visit with her sister, and visited her old friends Mrs. Friday and Miss Pewter.

MRS. LUCY MAY.

November 29, 1931.

Message to Deaf Drivers in California

Deaf antobile drivers in California must have three rear view mirrors on their cars. The state department of motor vehicles has under the Motor Vehicle Act the power to refuse or revoke an operator's license on the single ground of deafness. However, they believe that as a whole the deaf are safe drivers if they comply with special regulations deemed necessary to impose on them in the interest of safety. In the past they have required deaf operator's cars to be equipped with at least one mirror. Now they demand three mirrors—one inside and two outside, one on each side of the car. The side mirrors may be on wings or fenders or any other suitable supports which give the driver a complete view of the rear. The right-hand mirror is required because of the new amendment to the Act which allows passing to the right on wide and laned city streets.

Some deaf people have recently had difficulty in having their licenses renewed. Many of them have been granted "restricted" licenses The word 'restricted" is stamped in red on the face of the license and it is explained on the back. It refers to the requirement of three mirrors. When a traffic officer sees such a license, he will check the number and arrangement of the mirrors. Failure to comply with the rule subjects one to a fine, a jail sentence or the revocation of his license. Through the gradual process of renewal in a few years all the deaf drivers' licenses will be restricted. Those having unrestricted licenses must see at once that their cars are equipped as required. Failure to do so may mean trouble. The department has asked the California Automobile Club of the Deaf to assist in announcing the new regulation to all the deaf and they are supposed to know it, even if not all of their licenses show the restriction.

Under the authority to act in emergency granted by the board of directors of the Southern District of the California Automobile Club of the Deaf on November 8th, Vice-Chairman R. P. Handley went to Berkeley to attend a meeting of the Northern District and then went to Sacramento and conferred with officials of the Motor Vehicle Department. Mr. Truman Ingle acted as an interpreter. Mr. Handley presented a plan through which the club would assist the department weed out incompetent drivers among the deaf. The plan is similar to the one in Pennsylvania in which applicants for license are passed upon by deaf commissioners. Mr. Ingle spoke of his experience with the deaf in Pennsylvania. The officials approved of the plan in principle, but contended that it was inadequate. Under the law, if an application is rejected, the applicant may appeal to a superior court.

The officials held it to be desirable to settle differences out to court as much as possible and proposed to create a position under the state civil service for a deaf man, who would be known as "Traffic Supervisor for the Deaf" or some similar title. His duties will be to hear appeals and supervise and assist the deaf motorists generally. The officials are pleased with our public-spirited attitude, and will cooperate with us to the fullest extent, if we show we sincerely desire to eliminate those deaf drivers who are a menace to the rest of us, as well as to the general public. As the work will be done through our automobile club, it is essential that all deaf motorists affiliate and the state officials want them all to join the club.

Mr Handley's visit was timely. The state officials thought that the deaf had been involved in too many accidents and wanted to reduce them as much as possible. They were ready to write the Club with the suggestion that we get busy and regulate our drivers, or the state would step in and do it for us.

The plan has not been worked out in detail yet. The details will be published as soon as they are available. It is not known if the position will be open to deaf men living out of the state. It requires high qualities of mind and character. It is the writer's personal opinion that it will be difficult to induce a qualified resident of the state to give up an old job for the new work, and that the best man available should be appointed regardless of residence. Further information will be given in the *California News*, the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL and the *American Deaf Citizen*. All other papers are welcome to use the news and bring the matter to the attention of the deaf generally.

The California Automobile Club of the Deaf exists only to protect the right of the deaf to operate motor vehicles and it is interested only in matters pertaining to the operation of motor vehicles. It has nothing to do with education and other subjects. Orally taught and hard-of-hearing people are welcome in the club. It has nothing to sell. It helps its members in various ways. It helps non-members only when it is necessary for the good of the deaf as a whole. The officers are not paid for their work. There is no annual membership due. A fee of five dollars entitles one to life membership. It may be paid on the installment plan of one dollar down and fifty cents a month until five dollars is paid. All the deaf of California should belong to the club, including those who do not drive, but do ride in cars driven by deaf people. The money may be sent to the treasurer, W. E. Dudley, 854 Fourth Street, Santa Monica, Cal., or given to the committee on membership.

Have *three* mirrors and use them.
Join the California Automobile Club of the Deaf.
Cooperate with the State.
Obey the rules of the road.
Dive carefully all the time.

O. D. GUIRE, JR., *Chairman, Committee on Publicity.*

935 North 8th St.
Colton, Cal.

Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Daniel Irvin accommodated Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bardes by driving them in his car, November 20th, to Cincinnati, where they visited their relatives and old home friends for a day, then hied themselves back home Sunday. They had delightful weather both ways and so enjoyed the trip greatly, though their visit among relatives was all too brief.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker, of Dormont, spent the afternoon and evening with the Teegardens, November 21st. While there, Mr. Baker cleaned and renovated some oil paintings and other decorations, making them look like new. Mr. Baker is a portrait artist, but he gets very few orders these hard times.

The Wilkinsburg Frats entertained at the W. S. C. Hall, November 21st, and entertained a goodly crowd of friends and neighbors—a Frat benefit.

Miss Mary Blue, of Springfield, Mass., was a visitor at the Wilkinsburg Silent Circle rooms, last week. She spent a week in Pittsburgh looking for work which, needless to say, she failed to find. While here she was befriended by Mrs. Walter Zelch, who took her in while looking for work. After failing to get anything here, she went on to Chicago to try her luck there.

Those indefatigable entertainers, Mr. Grimm, Mr. Bardes, Mr. Craig, Mr. Leitner and Mrs. Sawhill, pulled off another comedy at the W. S. C., consisting of four acts. These acts portrayed the old-time Jewish road peddler and the merchant's dealings. Then there was a bogus count seeking a rich American heiress, etc., and Mr. W. L. Sawhill signed a short poem to end the play, which furnished entertainment for those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevenson, now of Shippensburg, Pa., were at the "Circle" headquarters that evening, and their numerous friends and fellow-members were glad indeed to see them again, after long absence at their new place of employment. They came over the mountains to have Thanksgiving with their folk in Bellevue. They reported they were getting along fine in their new location, but it was kind of lonesome for want of old friends.

We have just heard that the young son of Mr. E. S. Havens had been run down by a motor cyclist, and as a result had a broken leg. It is reported he is doing well at the hospital, where the motorist took him. Time, tide and motorists stop for no one, it seems.

Mrs. J. M. Rolshouse was most happy to have her daughter, Carolyn, and her husband, Mr. John E. Grace, of the Trenton school, home with her and Miss Theresa to celebrate Thanksgiving. They were privileged to stay among their friends here until the next Sunday morning, when they left to drive back to Trenton. Their friends here will be glad to have them back again for the Christmas vacation.

J. K. Forbes seems to be a busy man, even in these days of depression. Besides taking care of a large country estate, which gives him plenty to do, he finds time to do some trucking when he is called. That is what brought him to our place recently and help us get rid of a lot of trash, etc. He also helped Mrs. Forbes get rid of some mental truck. They had their heads together for quite a while, but they refused to tell what it was all about. Still we are not anxious to find out.

Mrs. Walter Eckhardt had the misfortune of falling down stairs at her home last week, and was badly bruised and shaken up, but fortunately no bones were broken.

There was a social entertainment at the social circle rooms, December 5th, in one part of the hall, while the Frat meeting was in session in the other. After the business session was over, they combined and enjoyed an evening of social enjoyment.

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